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SUBJECT: UN MIDDLE EAST EMERGENCY FORCE

REF: STATE 211411

1. SWEDISH CABINET IS MEETING THIS MORNING WITH RESPECT TO SWEDISH CONTRIBUTION TO UNEF, AND WE UNDERSTAND THAT DECISION LIKELY TO BE IN FAVOR OF SUPPLYING ONE ARMY BATTALION.
REPORTEDLY SWEDES WILL OFFER TO SEND SWEDISH BATTALION NOW IN CYPRUS IMMEDIATELY TO WAR ZONE, TO BE AIRLIFTED BY BRITISH.
ANOTHER BATTALION, NUMBER 51, NOW STATIONED AT LINKOPING, SWEDEN, REPORTEDLY WILL BE AIRLIFTED TO REPLACE CYPRUS BATTALION WHICH PREVIOUSLY SCHEDULED FOR RETURN TO SWEDEN THIS WEEK. UN AUGMENTATION FORCE OF BATTALION SIZE ALREADY ALERTED FOR POSSIBLE MOVE TO ME. ADVANCE PARTY CAN MOVE BY TUESDAY OR WEDNESDAY, 30/31 OCTOBER. MAIN BODY ONE WEEK LATER. AIRLIFT WILL BE REQUESTED FROM UN.

 $2.\ \mbox{GIVEN}$ VERY LIMITED SWEDISH AIRLIFT CAPABILITY, WE ASSUME CONFIDENTIAL

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MAJOR ASSISTANCE WILL BE NEEDED TO TRANSPORT BATTALION NOW ALERTED

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3. GOS DECISION ON FORCES AND AIRLIFT NEEDS WILL BE REPORT	ΈΓ
AS SOON AS AVAILABLE.	
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FOR MOBILIZATION AND SHIPMENT ME.

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